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Interview Summary	Application No.	Applicant(s)	
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Type: a) Telephonic b) Video Conference
 c) Personal [copy given to: 1) applicant 2) applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) Yes e) No.

If Yes, brief description: Conducted an exhibit of the invention showing the purpose and result of using the data processing method..

Claim(s) discussed: 1.

Identification of prior art discussed: Chasen et al.

Agreement with respect to the claims f) was reached. g) was not reached. h) N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Examiner explained the reasoning for the rejection in view of the prior art and discussed the differences. The additional of some functionality in the claims with regard to the invention's purpose to may overcome the current art of record. Examiner pointed out that further search and consideration would be necessary before any determination of allowability could be made..

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

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Examiner's signature, if required

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